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QUEER COUNTRY THIS.

Carl Dunder Jumped on the Wrong Man and Becomes Sick All Over.

(Detroit Free Press.)

"Sergeant, vhas some warrant outd to arre t me?" softly inquired Carl Dunder, as he tip-toed into the Woodbridge street station house.

"Nct that I know of—why?" replied Sergeant Bendal.

"Vhell, two or three days ago a strange man comes in my place. Vhas I Carl Dunder? I vna. All right. Mr. Dunder I vhas of the Board of Health, and I like to look in your cellar for dead rats and chichera. Dot seems all right to me, and so I light der candle and he goes down. He vhas gone a long time, and when he comes oop he says dot cellar vhas all right. He vhas in N-w York, Chicago, Toledo and odder places, and he neafar see such a clean place."

"Some swindler, o, course."

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The naked and unvarnished truth is that both of these occurrences are a burning shame and disgrace to the boasted civilization and refinement of the age. There was unquestionably no criminal intent on the part of any one in either case, but the mere fact that beings belonging to the gentler sex stamped with the impress of the divine Master, and having immortal souls to save or be lost, could, by any possibility, meet their death from absolute starvation and exposure in the crowded thoroughfares, and within the glowing rays of electric or gas lights, and in hearing of the feasting and revelry, of those enjoying plenty, in a populous city, seems a reflection on the manhood, the charity and the humanity of our people. In what a striking contrast are these incidents to those in the life of the great Exemplar of all Christian virtues, who went about doing good, who dwelt not amid the luxury of wealth or the festivities and the dissipation of revelers, but hunted up and down the obscure corners and waste places of this world for the poor, the friendless, the afflicted, the maimed, the halt and the blind and spent his glorious and sublime life in relieving their sufferings? Our nation has been blessed of heaven as no other nation has been blessed, both temperally and spiritually. If we would deserve these blessings, and secure their continuance, measures must be taken to prevent a recurrence of such a fate to God's poor, who were left by the Messiah in the special charge of his people, "the poor you have with you always;" and upon whom his favor and blessings seem to be conditioned upon a faithful discharge of the trust. "I was sick and ye visited me &c."

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